

"Circulation Books Open to All."

The organization of a new independent

Democratic machine in Kings County to

ight not only Tammany Hall but the

remnants of the old McLaughlin crowd

was begun to-day by the filing of ar-

ticles of incorporation in Albany of the

The list of incorporators shows that

this club has been organized by the

FOUR MINERS DEAD,

Cage Fell to Bottom of Shaft

and Occupants Killed, While

Wreckage Blocks Escape of

Workers in Colliery.

OTHERS MISSING

Kings County Democratic Club.



NEW YORK, SATURDAY, MARCH 26, 1904



"Circulation Books Open to All."

11 O'CLOCK

WEATHER - Colder to-night; Sunday

PRICE ONE CENT.

TWILIGHT WINS BIG STEEPLECHASE

PRICE ONE CENT.

Well Ridden by Mr Knutt, He Gallops Home a Winner by Four Lengths in Chevy Chase Hunt Event at Bennings.

LA TOURAINE THROWS AMBROSE CLARK.

Society Turns Out in Large Numbers to Witness the Race, and **Loudly Applaud Winning Rider** After He Finishes.

THE WINNERS.

Frank Foster (30 to 1) 2, Rain or

SECOND RACE-Filigree (4 to 5) 1, Only One (20 to 1) 2, Melrose 3.

THIRD RACE-Torohlight (5 to 2) . Briarthorpe (3 to 1) 2, Nine Spot,

FOURTH RACE .- Lord Melbourne Rough Rider 3.

FIFTH RACE-Twilight (11 to 5, first; Lepida (3 to 1), second; La Touraine, third.

SIXTH RACE,-Gum Honey (7 to ManilHan (8 to 1) 2, Boney

Special to the Evening World.) BENNINGS RACE TRACK, March 26. Weavy showers of rain fell during the morning, so that when the crowd arwas unfortunate, for the reason that

On the card was the Chevy Chase Hunt Steeplechase, a race across country at two and a half miles. This race is a society event. The horses engaged portunity for a hit. He was contrasted during the season of 1903-1904, and they are ridden by gentlemen who must wear

The riders and their friends are very ich in earnest, but the race alway

Start fair. Won cleverly. Time—0.58. Filigree, the host favorite took up thrunning at the start and was never headed, winning with a bit to spare two lengths. Melrose and Allen Avowere close up to the last sixteenth where only One came with a terrificate hand beat Melrose a head for the blace.

Seven furlongs.

Starters, wghis, lockeys. St. Hif. Fin. Str. Pl. Torch ht. 106. O'Brien. 1 114,12 5-2 1
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Arrah wan, 105. Michael 5 8 4 10, 18-5 6-5
Arrah st. 110. Olyphant. 8 5 5 6 2
Preak ss. 100. Cochran 4 21 6 7 5-2
Star good. Won easily. Time—1.82.
Tori Alight went to the front at the start and just breezed along in front all the way and won easily by two lengths from Briarthorpe, who beat Nine Spot in a red-hote drive for the place.

FOURTH RACE.

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One mile and forty yards.

Startars wghts jockeys. St. Hif. Fin. Str. Pl.
Lord Melbourne, 106,01 t 1 12 14 6-5 2-5
Meistersinger, 110, Hicke 2 24 24 24 6-5
Rough Rider, 107, Wade. 6 4 35 2 3-6
Dark Planet, 110, McCue 4 5 4 20 6
Eclectic, 85, Hennessy. 5 34 5 12 3
Rahunts, 102, Newman. 8 6 6 100 20
Start good. Won driving. Time—1.48.
Lord Melbourne, the favorite, had the speed of the race and he cut out the pace, followed in close order by Meistersinger, Electic and Dark Planet. They ran in this order to the stretch. where Meistersinger and Rought Rider closed and a red-hot drive followed. Lord Melbourne lasted long enough to win by a head from Meistersinger, who was a head in front of Rough Rider.

FIFTH RACE,

ACTOR DAN DALY

Comedian Was Stricken with a Hemorrhage This Afternoon and Expired in the Arms of His Physician.

MR. DALY HAD LONG BEEN VICTIM OF CONSUMPTION.

His Wife Died in Boston a Few Weeks Ago, and He Took Her Loss Much to Heart—News of Death Shocks the Rialto.

Dan Daly, the comedian, was suddenly stricken with a hemorrhage this FIRST HACE-Sals (7 to 5) 1, Mrs. Vendome and died i nthe arms of his physician, Dr. Walter C. Gilday. Mr Daly was trying to get out of bed at the time when the hemorrhage camon. He expired soon after.

For two years the comedian has been victim of consumption and when in New York under the constant care of Dr. Gilday. He was up and around during the last few days, and his con-dition was no worse during the last month than at other times when work-(6 to 5) 1, Meistersinger (4 to 1) 2, great shock to Dr. Gilday as well as t his many friends on the Rialto.

Wife Died a Few Weeks Ago A few weeks ago Mr. Daly's wife died in Boston. He took this loss very much to heart, but his physical condi ion did not seem to suffer particularly under the grief conseugent upon the death of Mrs. Daly. Margaret Daly and Lucy Daly, the wives of Ward and Vokes, respectively, are his sisters They were informed of their brother's

temporarily in charge of the body. Dan Daly has been seen in many roles on Broadway. In the palmiest days of he Casino, when that place was known as the home of comic opera, Daly un reated the leading comedy parts. Perhaps his greatest hit was in the "Belle this was one of the most important and of New York." His fog-horn voice and his peculiar dry humor won for him a general praise by the critics. This was the season when Edna May took New York by storm.

Casino in 1896, gave Daly another opare those that have regularly hunted with Marie Dressler in this show, and in the two the major portion of the fun

success. The year previous he had made it ignores the former McLaughlin suphis debut as a comic opera star in the "New Yorkers," which had a run at the Herald Square.

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DETROIT, March 26.-Edward M Farley, the horseman who was on trial

"Montrip. 165, Deveraux 8 Fell 8-6 1-2
"Coupled.
Start good. Won driving. Time—5.46.
This race is Bennings society event and there was much interest in it, though there was not much of a contest Mr. Knutt made the running with Twillight with Touraine and the Hawk in close order. Montrip. ridden by Mr. Devereux, came to grief early and at the second jump. In the second time around La Touraine fell and dumped Ambrose Clark. This left Lepida, ridden by Dion Kerr, in second place. The Hawk held third place to the last time around when he also fell. La Touraine, who had been remounted, then took third place. Lepida blundered over the last two jumps and could never reach Twilight, who won by three lengths. Lepida was an eighth of a mile in front of La Touraine.

BIXTH RACE.

death at once by Dr. Gilday, who is

"The Lady Slavey," produced at the

In 1902 Daly appeared in the New Clown, but the show was not a great strongest Democrats in Brooklyn, that

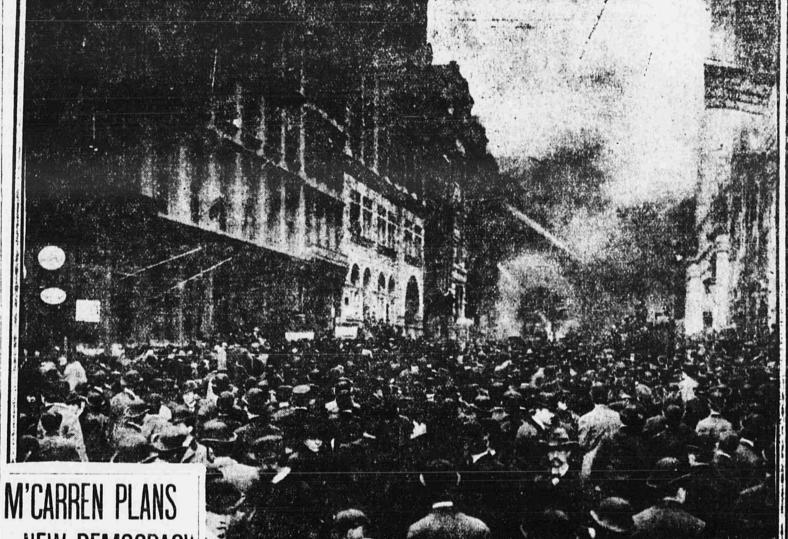
Steeplechase: two miles.

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Gum Honey. 144; Heider 5 18 18 7-5 1-2
Manillian. 163. Rodrick. 1 114/27 7-5 1-2
Boney Boy. 153. Seaton. 4 4 38-6 6 2
Btrike a Light, 153. Taylor 2 21-4 8 2-2
Harrow 163. Mara.... 8 Fell 30 8-2
Capt. Hayes. 146. Bowser 6 Fell 30 8-2
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Kart good. Won easily. Time—4.15.
Harrow led until he fell. Gum Honey then took the lead and showed the way to the finish. winning easily by two lengths from Manillian, who beat Boney Boy five lengths for the place.

ATLANTIC CITY AT EASTER TIME

DIES SUDDENLY

BROADWAY BLOCKED BY GREAT CROWDS LOOKING AT THE FIRE.



Brooklyn Senator Organizes the Kings County Democratic Club at Albany to Help Him Fight Murphy and M'Laughlin.

First Notable Land Engagement of the War is About to Occur in the Mountain Passes of Corea, Where the Mikado's Troops Are Meeting Many Obstacles.

tremendous obstacles to join the main

he western part of the peninsula. There is a strong Russian force south of the Yalu, and Cossacks are being hurried to the eastward. The Russian ommanders hope to strike the Japanese fatigue caused by their march back

Jap Troops at Yangtek. The Japanese force is believed to be at wenty miles from Gensan in a direct Japan secretly if possible. ine, the Japanese were compelled to ross five mountain passes to reach it. The passes were covered with snow, and such a large body of troops. Despite war will be over. he formidable obstacles encountered he Japanese succeeded in bringing field

patrol thirty mfles southeast of Anju to operate along the road from Pingyang to Yangtek and take possession of the mountainpasses. It is the evident intention of the Russians to attack the Japanese in the heart of the rough country through which they are travel-

Information from Peking is to the effect that the Dowager Empress has rejected a proposal from Japan for an open alliance.

Will Aid Japan Secretly. Despite this, reports from the field relate that the attitude of the Chinese generals is hostile. The impression in Yangtek. Although this place is but official circles is that China will aid

couraging The Russian military au The passes were covered with show, and not be taken by assault and that becoccasional thaws caused avalanches, fore the length of time necessary to
which added to the difficulty of moving starve it out shall have elapsed the

The mobilization of the Manchurian army is now complete. Gen. Kuropatkin News of this force was obtained from there and reaches Mukden to-night.

LEAPED TO DEATH FROM FERRY-BOAT

runs with their main body.

from the Hamburg Into the North River-His Body Was Not Recovered.

mine, and all the workers in the collidery have not been accounted for.

It is thought, however, that they may have escaped through distant openings. The inine is one of the most gaseous in that region and if the ventilation fails before all get out the death list will probably be added to.

OVER SUNDAY AT ATLANTIC CITY is a popular outing. Through trains via l'ennsyivania Railroad leave West 226 Sireet Station at 8.55 A. M. and 2.55 P. M. week class, 7.55 A. M. Sundays, Parior cars daily; dining car Sundays.

FEARS KIDNAPPER

Inidentified Young Man Jumped Mrs. Martha Bitter Reports that Four-Year-Old Hazel Doyle Is Mysteriously Missing from

WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 26.— As the ferryboat Hamburg, of the Mrs. Martha Bitter of No. 14) East WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 26.— As the ferryboat Hamburg, of the Mrs. Martha Bitter of No. 14) East Four men were killed by the fall of a Delaware. Lackawanna and Western Thirteenth street, fears that her fourcage in the Dorrance shaft of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company to-day. The
cage plunged almost from the top of
the shaft, and the victims who were in
it met death instantly.

The wreckage blocked egress from the
mine, and all the workers in the colliery have not been accounted for.

Delaware. Lackawanna and western
Railway service, reached mid-stream on
kldnapped, and after a two-days search
for the child the Fifth street police sent
out a general alarm for the lost child
late this afternoon.

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lat out a general glarm for the lost child ate this afternoon. an who had been living with some time, and allowed her Hazel out for a walk. all traces of her and the child are los

> Jones loudly mourned his wretched fate He couldn't sell his real estate. But every single lot he's sold Since World Wants changed his land

CORBETT WANTS

His Manager Issues a Challenge To-Day to Match Him Against Britt Again for Side Bet of \$10,000.

(Special to The Evening World.) SAN FRANCISCO, March 26 .- "Young who lost the decision to limmy Britt in their twenty-round bat so badly in the early rounds of the pattle that he claims he was unable to enockout Britt when he had him at his

Corbett still thinks he can defeat Britt and to-day his manager issued a challenge to match Corbett in another fight with Britt for a side bet of \$10,000 and allow Britt to name his own terms.

HIGHLANDERS FULL

For First Time Since Manager Griffith Brought His Players South All of Them Got Down to Work.

(Special to The Evening World.)
ATLANTA, Ga., March 26.—For the irst time since the Highlanders arrived iere every member of the team an swered to the roll-call this morning. Elberfield, who had been home resting his lame leg, arrived late last night and was on the field this morning. His leg is a great deal better and he jumped around at short as though noth-ing had ever happened to him. In run-

ting to first base he favored it a good leal, as the ground was beavy. The men took advantage of the warm of the situation and the fire is now practically out. day and had a long practice of the usual nature. Powell did the most of CROKER ON SPECIAL TRAIN. than he has yet exhibited. In fact, he was extremely fast, and he also had a

GIANTS GAME OFF.

the local team, which was to have been eccount of rain. The grounds were in such bad condi-

tion that the men were unable to do any work on the diamond.

New York Herald's Easter Number, March 27. Three superb sections in color; full page pictures by famous artists. Exquisite engraving in tint. Flotton by Hamilto Garland and Myra Kelly. Order copy Box.

LOSS \$500,000

"Two Nines" Sounded for the Big Blaze, Two Buildings Were Totally Destroyed and Only Valiant Efforts on the Part of the Firemen Saved Adjoining Structures Which Were in Danger.

THRILLING SLIDE FOR LIFE BY NINE MEN DOWN A ROPE

Millions of Dollars in Cash and Securities Were Hurried to Street, Where in Dense Crowd Men Armed with Rifles and Revolvers Guarded the Treasure - Chief Croker Arrives on Special Train.

SCENES AND INCIDENTS

OF BIG DOWNTOWN FIRE.

Started in the building No. 61 Broadway, opposite Wall street, and comletely destroyed that building and No. 59.

The "two 9's" alarm was sounded for the first time in several years. Deputy Chief Binns was in charge until the arrival of Chief Croker on a ecial train from Morristown, N. J.

Nine men made a thrilling slide for life down a rope from the third story. Business was suspended on the Stock and Consolidated Exchanges. Millions of dollars were removed from neighboring buildings to the street, where the strong-boxes were guarded by men with rifles and revolvers. All the valuable records of the Pinkerton Detective, Agency had to be re-

moved to a place of safety. Thirty-seven engines and twelve hook and ladders were on the ground.

Mayor McClellan and Fire Commissioner Hayes were among the spectators.

In the worst fire that has occurred in the lower part of the city in years, to-day, the large buildings at Nos. 59 and 61 Broadway were completely gutted, many thousands of dollars' worth of property was destroyed, the narrow streets of the financial section as well as Broadway were choked with a crowd of more than 50,000 persons, traffic was tled up, business suspended and hundreds of persons driven from their offices.

Prom the windows and roofs of the burning buildings men were rescued by the firemen with great difficulty, because of the dense smoke and fierce flames, and all over the contiguous streets the remarkable sight was witnessed of men armed with pistols and rifles guarting the boxes of treasure hastily removed from the burning and threatened buildings in safes and tin boxes.

Such a display of fire apparatus as was drawn to this fire has rarely been seen in this city. When the fire started it spread so rapidly that for awhile there was good ground for fear that it would spread to other large buildings. Chief Croker had been summoned to the bedside of his mother. who is very ill at Morristown, N. J., and five alarms had been turned in before he got word of the big conflagration.

Deputy Chief Binns, who was Acting Chief in the absence of his supe

was extremely fast, and he also had a quick break on his curve. The batters didn't succeed in landing safely very often, though some clever bunts were made. Putterman also threw up a few and had good speed, but was very wild. The other pitchers chased files in the outfield. The regulars, with the exception of Williams had a short, snappy fielding practice, with Unglaub at second. Elberfield was as fast as ever, All the boys were full of ginger and plunged into the cellar of the building at No. 61, where the fire started. He did some fast work. didn't even wait to change his clothing. He was gone about half an hour,

OVER 150 EMPLOYEES AT WORK.

In the two buildings which were burning most, those at Nos. 59 and played here to-day, was postponed on 61, occupied respectively by the Adams and the Morris European and American Express Companies, there were over 150 employees at work when the fire started. Most of these were employed in the express companies, but many of them worked for brokers on the upper floors. The women among these

ladders. A crowd of nearly twenty thousand persons witnessed some of the